GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Sri G.V.S. Phaneendra Babu, the then Tahsildar, Pedakakani Mandal, Guntur District - Disciplinary proceedings under rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - AoCs issued - WSDs submitted - Inquiry Authority appointed - Report submitted - Charges not proved - Further action dropped - Orders - Issued.

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REVENUE (VIGILANCE-III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1016 Dated:03.11.2023

Read the following:

1. From the Collector, Guntur Letter No.RC.No.REV- GNT(APL)/87/2019-E2, Dt:10.09.2020.
2. G.O.Rt.No.131, Revenue (Vig.III) Dept, Dt:09.03.2021.
3. Written statement of defense dt:19.04.2021 of Sri G.V.S.Phaneendra Babu, former Tahsildar, Pedakakani,Guntur District.
4. G.O.Rt.No.402, Revenue (Vig.III) Dept, Dt:08.07.2021.
5. Memo.No.REV01-LANA0CCLV (DISC)/61/2020-Vig.III(2), Dt:08.07.2021.
6. Enquiry report of the Inquiring Authority - cum- Joint Collector (JC - Asara & Welfare), Guntur District, Lr.SPl.Rc.No.4/DC/INQ/2021-JC (A&W)- GNT, Dt:25.11.2021.
7. Memo.No.REV01-LANA0CCLV(DISC)/61/2020-Vig.III(2), Dt:12.10.2023
8. Explanation dt:17.10.2023 of Sri G.V.S.Phaneendra Babu, Tahsildar, Tadikonda, Guntur District

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the circumstances reported by the District Collector, Guntur in the reference 1st read above, disciplinary proceedings has been instituted against Sri G.V.S.Phaneendra Babu, former Tahsildar, Pedakakani,Guntur in the reference 2nd read above, on the allegation that (i) he has not verifed the veracity of bogus entries made on the back side of assignment pattas. Based on the false certifcates and letters dated:22.02.2009 and 15.05.2012 written by the then Tahsildars, he has furnished the written instructions. He also failed to represent the case properly and thereby the Hon'ble High Court of AP allowed the W.P., deciding the case in favour of petitioner (ii) while submitting the written instructions to the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.No.47479/2018 has written that the connected assignment fle was not available at Tahsildar's Office and that in fact, no Revenue record stipulates that the pattas were given on payment of Market Value to original assignees. On the other hand, he has supported the contention of the petitioner that the assignment was granted on payment of Market Value as per Revenue records relying upon the false certifcates/letters written by the then Tahsildars contradicting his own contention (iii) he has failed to protect the interest of Government by furnishing the written instructions without mentioning the points that no rules provide that to make assignment by the Tahsildar on payment of Market Value as per BSO (15) and the then Tahsildar have violated the patta conditions contravening the provision of AP Assigned Lands (POT) Act, 1977 though the assignment pattas were granted to the assignees with usual conditions (iv) he has failed to verify the veracity of claim that there is no possibility to get the Challan Number from the Treasury authorities and to make payment into SBI on 20.09.1992 happened to be Sunday though on public holiday and as such the story narrated by Sri Devarapu Pullaiah is concocted one and disclosed that it is fabricated one. In the reference 3rd read above, the Charged Ofcer has submitted his written statement of defense denying the Charges.

2. And whereas, as the explanation of the Charged ofcer is not convincing, in the reference 4th read above the Joint Collector (JC - Asara &Welfare), Guntur District was appointed as Inquiry ofcer and the District Revenue Officer, Guntur District was appointed as presenting ofcer to enquire into the matter.

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3. And whereas, in the reference 6th read above, the Inquiry Officer - cum- Joint Collector (JC - Asara &Welfare), Guntur District, has submitted the enquiry report stating that the chages are held not proved against Sri G.V.S. Phaneendra Babu, the then Tahsildar, Pedakakani Mandal.

4. After careful examination of the findings of the Inquiry officer, Government have accepted the same. Accordingly, in the reference 7th read above, a copy of the inquiry report has been communicated to the Charged officer for submission of his explanation, if any, on the findings of the Inquiry officer under rule 21(2) of A.P.C.S (CC&A) Rules, 1991. In reply, the Charged Officer Sri G.V.S. Phaneendra Babu, the then Tahsildar, Pedakakani Mandal has submitted explanation stating that the Inquiry ofcer/ Joint Collector, Guntur has submitted report on the charges framed against him reporting that the Charges are not proved. Therefore, he has requested to accept the findings of the Inquiry officer and to drop further action against him.

5. Government, after careful examination of the findings of the enquiry officer and further explanation of the Charged officer, have decided and hereby drop further action against Sri G.V.S. Phaneendra Babu, the then Tahsildar, Pedakakani Mandal as the charges are not held proved against him in this matter.

6. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri /the Collector & District Magistrate, Gunturshall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.SAI PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
Sri G.V.S. Phaneendra Babu, the then Tahsildar, Pedakakani Mandal presently working as Tahsildar, Tadikonda through the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.
Copy to:
The Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur.
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SECTION OFFICER